## **BOARD OF FORESTRY AND FIRE PROTECTION**

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# BOARD OF FORESTRY AND FIRE PROTECTION MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT AND AGENDA

Announcement Date: July 2, 2004

#### **FULL BOARD**

Date: July 14, 2004 (Wednesday)

Location: Resources Building

**Time**: 8:00 a.m. Room 1506-12 1416 Ninth Street

Date: July 13, 2004 (Tuesday) Executive Session Sacramento, California

Time: 4:00 p.m.

# POLICY AND MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

**Date**: July 13, 2004 (Tuesday) **Location**: Resources Building

Room 1506-12 1416 Ninth Street Sacramento, Californi

Time: 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Sacramento, California

# FOREST PRACTICE COMMITTEE

**Date**: July 13, 2004 (Tuesday) **Location**: Resources Building

Auditorium

1416 Ninth Street

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## Ad Hoc ROADS AND WATERSHED MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

**Date**: July 13, 2004 (Tuesday) **Location**: Resources Building

Auditorium

1416 Ninth Street

Time: 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Sacramento, California

## **RESOURCE PROTECTION COMMITTEE**

**Date**: July 13, 2004 (Tuesday) **Location**: Resources Building

Room 1506-12 1416 Ninth Street

**Time**: 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Sacramento, California

#### **FULL BOARD AGENDA**

July 14, 2004 (Wednesday)

## 8:00 a.m.

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Announcement of Actions Taken in Executive Session
- 3. Approval of Minutes of the June 2004 Meetings
- 4. Consent Calendar see attached Consent Calendar for actions to be considered under this agenda item.

Consent Calendar items are expected to be routine and non-controversial. The Board will act upon them at one time without discussion. If any Board Member, staff, or interested person requests that an item be removed from the Consent Calendar, it will be taken up in the regular agenda order.

**Possible Action Items:** RPF License/CRM Certification: Withdrawals, Reinstatements, Voluntary Relinquishments, or other Actions

- 5. Report of the Chairman
- 6. Report of the Director
- 7. Report/ update on the Governor's Blue Ribbon Fire Commission
- 8. Report of the Oak Mortality Task Force
- 9. Declaration of the Lake County Sudden Oak Death Zone of Infestation

## 9:00 a.m.

- 10. <u>Public Hearing:</u> Hearing on 15- Day Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: Transition Silviculture, 2004. The Board will conduct a public hearing regarding the revised proposal of the Transition Silviculture, Rules 2004, as distributed in the 15- Day Notice of Proposed Rulemaking. **Possible action items**: Transition Silviculture, 2004 rule adoption.
- 11. Report of Federal Agencies; including USDA Forest Service, National Marine Fisheries Service, US Fish & Wildlife Service, and US Environmental Protection Agency.
- 12. Report of State Agencies; including State Water Quality Control Board, Department of Fish and Game, Geologic Survey
- 13. Discussion regarding the Draft Environmental Impact Report (DEIR) and Management Plan for Jackson Demonstration State Forest (JDSF). **Possible Action Items:** The Board may provide direction to Department staff regarding the preparation of the DEIR.
- 14. Update on Forest Protocol Guidance for the California Climate Action Registry

## 15. Report of Board's Advisory Committees

- Forest Pest Council
- Range Management Advisory Committee
- Monitoring Study Group
- Professional Foresters Examining Committee

**Possible Action Items**: Issuance of RPF Licenses/CRM Certifications, Withdrawals, Reinstatements, Voluntary Relinquishments, Suspensions, Revocations, or other Actions

- 16. Report of Sensitive Watershed Nominations Review, Forest Practice, Policy and Management, *Ad Hoc* Roads and Watershed Management, and Resource Protection Committees.
- 17. Report of the Regulations Coordinator

**Note:** The Board's Regulations Coordinator will report on ongoing regulatory matters. The Board may act in response to requests of the Regulations Coordinator on items presented in the report. **Possible action items**: Recommendation for 45-Day notice, Road Management Plan.

18. Report of Executive Officer, including Proposed State and Federal Legislation

**Note**: The Board's Executive Officer will report on ongoing administrative matters, proposed state or federal legislation or programs, or new items coming before the Board. The Board may act in response to requests of the Executive Officer on items presented in the report.

- 19. <a href="Public Forum">Public Forum</a>: Members of the public may address the Board on any topic within its jurisdiction not otherwise on the agenda. Submittal of written comments is encouraged to ensure that all comments will be included in the record before the Board. Please be prepared to summarize comments to three minutes in length, or otherwise at the discretion of the chairman.
- 20. New and Unfinished Business
- 21. Adjournment

**Note**: The Board may take any non-hearing agenda item out of order as time permits and may discuss agenda items scheduled for committees, including legislation. The Board may act on recommendations by its committees on items listed in their respective agendas.

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#### **COMMITTEE AND EXECUTIVE SESSION AGENDAS**

#### POLICY AND MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

Date: July 13, 2004 (Tuesday) Location: Resources Building

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Time: 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

1. Incorporation of Board Tasks and Goals in 2004, into Fire and Resource Assessment Program Policy Statement per PRC 4789.

2. Report on CDF Implementation of Variable Retention Regulation

3. Report/ update of the Range Management Advisory Committee on Oak Woodlands

4. Performance Based Forest Practice Rules

5. Discussion of Relevant Proposed Legislation Related to the BOF

6. New and Unfinished Business

**Note**: The Policy and Management Committee may continue discussion of items included in its agenda, or the full Board agenda, if the Board recesses or adjourns.

#### FOREST PRACTICE COMMITTEE

**Date:** July 13, 2004 (Tuesday) **Location**: Resources Building

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Time: 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

1. Heritage Tree Disclosure

2. Discussion of Forest Reptile and Amphibian Work Group (FRAWG) Rule Proposals

3. Update on the Emergency Fuel Hazard Reduction Regulation

4. New and Unfinished Business

**Note:** The Forest Practice Committee may continue discussion of items included in its agenda, or the full Board agenda, if the Board recesses or adjourns.

# Ad Hoc ROADS AND WATERSHED MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

**Date**: July 13, 2004 (Tuesday) **Location**: Resources Building

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**Time**: 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

1. Road Management Plan (RMP)

- 2. Road Definitions
- 3. Waiver Update
- 4. New and Unfinished Business

**Note**: The Ad Hoc Roads and Watershed Management Committee may continue discussion of items included in its agenda, or the full Board agenda, if the Board recesses or adjourns.

# RESOURCE PROTECTION COMMITTEE MEETING

**Date**: July 13, 2004 (Tuesday) **Location**: Resources Building

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**Time**: 1:00 p.m.-- 4:00 p.m.

- 1. Report by CDF Deputy Director, Fire Protection; including Reports from Region Chiefs
- 2. Advisory Committee Reports:

Statewide Fire Safe Council Range Management Advisory Committee Vegetation Management Program

- 3. Update on the SRA Fee Regulations
- 4. Fire Prevention Rule Amendments
- 5. New and Unfinished Business

**Note:** The Resource Protection Committee may continue discussion of items included in its agenda, or the full Board agenda, if the Board recesses or adjourns.

# **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

**Date**: July 13, 2004 (Tuesday) **Location**: Resources Building

Room 1506-12 1416 Ninth Street Sacramento, California

Time: 4:00 p.m. to completion

Executive Session: (Closed to the Public) Discussion of Matters Related to Foresters Licensing such as Certifications; Voluntary Relinquishments; and/or Revocations of RPF Licenses/CRM Certifications Under Section 11126 (c)(1), (c)(2), (c)(3) of the Government Code; Employee Evaluation Under 11126 (a)(1); also Discussion of Pending and Potential Litigation Under Section 11126 (e) of the Government Code. Cases to be discussed are: Campaign to Restore Jackson State Redwood Forest and Dharma Cloud Charitable Foundation Trust v. California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, California Board of Forestry and Does I through X, Mendocino County Superior Court, Case No. SCUKCVG 0083611; Gualala Redwoods, Inc. v. California State Board of Forestry, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, Andrea Tuttle, and Does 1 through 10, Sacramento County Superior Court Case No. 02-CS00356; Campaign to Restore Jackson State Redwood Forest and Dharma Cloud Charitable Foundation Trust v. California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection. California Board of Forestry and Does I through X inclusive. Mendocino County Superior Court, Case No. SCUKCVPT 0289022, Cockshott v. Board of Forestry, John Douglas Hale, OAH No. N2003020396, William Shannon Frazier, CP-02-01, Walter Simonis, CP-02-06, Harold Richardson v. Andrea Tuttle, Director, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection; California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection; California State Board of Forestry, Sacramento County Superior Court Case No. 04-CS00286, Big Creek v. Santa Cruz. (The Executive Session may be reconvened if determined necessary.)

**ITEM #4: CONSENT CALENDAR** 

## RPF VITAL STATISTICS

For presentation to the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection July 2004

No items to report